

of \$3,500 per annum, with authority to the Mayor and City Council to pay \$500 per annum additional out of the city treasury. It is made the duty of the Supreme Bench, as soon as the judges shall be elected and duly qualified, to provide for the holding of the aforesaid courts by the assignment of one or more of their number to each, and they may change the assignment as circumstances may require and the public interests may demand, and the judges so assigned shall have all the powers and exercise all the jurisdiction which may belong to the court being held. The Supreme Bench is also to have jurisdiction to hear and determine all motions for a new trial in cases tried in any of the city courts, where such motions arise either on questions of fact or for misdirection upon any matters of law, and all motions in arrest of judgment, or upon any matter of law determined by the judges. Decisions of the judge of the City Court in appeals from justices of the peace are to be final. Five clerks are to be elected, to hold office for six years, who shall receive a salary of \$3,500 per annum.

The judges of the five single Baltimore city courts provided for are together to constitute the Supreme Bench. Power is also given to the General Assembly to provide, whenever it deems it expedient, another court for the city of Baltimore, the judge of which shall be subject to the same constitutional provisions as the other judges of the Supreme Bench. A judge of the Court of Appeals is also to be selected by the voters of the city of Baltimore, and any five of the eight judges of appeals will constitute a competent court.

The Attorney General of the State will, as now, be elected by the people, as will also the clerk of the Court of Appeals, who has heretofore been appointed by the judges of that court. The appointment of the State Librarian, which has been vested in the Legislature, is given to the Governor. The Governor will also appoint the Commissioner of the General Land Office, whose salary is reduced to \$1,500, and who is